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Art Unit: 3623
A System for Processing Healthcare
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Serial No.: 10/051,664
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First Named Inventor: S. I. Brandt
Group Art Unit: 3623
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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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|------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | |
| Utility | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 200 | 100 | |
| Design | 200 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 130 | 65 | |
| Plant | 200 | 100 | 300 | 150 | 160 | 80 | |
| Reissue | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 600 | 300 | |
| Provisional | 200 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES
Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Small Entity

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Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

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| Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) |
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200 100

Multiple dependent claims

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360 180

| Total Claims | Extra Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) | Multiple Dependent Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) |
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Response to Final Rejection Accompanying a Request for Continued Examination (RCE)

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2004, please amend the above identified application as follows.

Please charge any fee associated with this Amendment to deposit account 19-2179.

In the Claims:

Amend claims 1, 11 and 26 as attached by deleting the material identified by a strikethrough marking and by adding the underscored material.

Add claims 28 and 29.